phone lines tender worth Rs 750 crores among eight different bidding companies;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether it is a fact that some of the bidders have alleged that DOT has flouted the tender conditions and has favoured AT & T, GPT and HTL;

(d) if so, whether Government would justify their actions or deny the alleged changes;

(e) whether it is a fact that AT & T did not include certain rules and dimensioning for the three model exchanges and did not provide detailed information on this which has favoured the company; and

(f) if so, please clarify the situation fully?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI SUKH RAM): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise in view of (a).

(c) Yes, Sir, one of the bidders has alleged.

(d) The allegations are not correct.

(e) and (f) Some queries were raised to all the bidders. AT&T replied to the queries without any additional informationi.

कर्मचारियों के लिए आवास

882. **चौधरी हरमोहन सिंह** : क्या संचार मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या सरकार ने डाक और तार विभाग के सभी कर्मचारियों को आवास उपलब्ध नहीं कराये हैं ;

(ख) यदि हां, तो दिल्ली स्थित डाक और तार विभाग एवं दूरसंचार विभाग में कुल कितने कर्मचारी कार्यरत हैं ; और

(ग) श्रेणीवार कितने कर्मचारियों को सरकारी आवास उपलब्ध कराये गए हैं ?

संचार मंत्रालय के राज्य मंत्री (श्री सुखराम) : (क) जी हां ।

(ख) **डाक विभाग**

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दूरसंचार विभाग

उत्तरी दूरसंचार क्षेत्र	5841
एम.टी.एन.एल नई दिल्ली	27115

(ग) जानकारी निम्नानुसार है :—

डाक विभाग

क्वार्टरों के टाइप					
I	II	III	IV	V	कुल
345	766	174	24	6	1315

दूरसंचार विभाग

	क्वार्टरों के टाइप					
यूनिट	i	ii	iii	iv	v	कुल
एन.टी.आर. दिल्ली	280	366	154	56	48	904
एम.टी.एन.एल. दिल्ली	322	853	206	147	48	1576

New Telephone Lines in Nagpur city

883. SHRI RAM RATAN RAM:
DR. SHRIKANT RAMCHANDRA JICHKAR:

Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) how many new Telephone lines are proposed to be given in Nagpur City in Maharashtra during the next two years;

(b) what is the detailed programme therefor; and

(c) how many persons will remain on the waiting list after allotment of the proposed new lines?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI SUKH RAM): (a) About 40,000.

(b) The detailed programme is as under:—

	Programme 1994-95	Tentative Programme 1995-96
Additional Switching capacity mainly of digital Electronic Technology	15,900	33,600

(c) Waiting list of Nagpur City as on 30-11-94 is 26959. The number of telephones lines (DELs) planned to be provided are more. Thus the existing waiting list is likely to be cleared by 31-3-90.

Allotment of STD/ISD Booths in Nagpur

884. SHRI G. PRATHAPA REDDY:
DR. SHRIKANT RAMCHANDRA JICHKAR:

Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that advertisements for allotment for STD/ISD Booths in Nagpur City had been given some time ago;

(b) whether the allotment has not been made since more than a year has been passed:

(c) if so, the reasons therefor;

(d) what is the criterion fixed for the allotment ; and

(e) by when the allotment is likely to be made ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI SUKH RAM):(a) Yes, Sir. Advertisements for allotment of STD/ISD PCOs in Nagpur